

# CITY OF NORTH BEND ANNUAL POLICE SERVICE HIGHLIGHTS & DATA 2010

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## From the Police Chief

March 2011

Hello Residents of North Bend,

The sun is out, the skies are blue, and the mountain tops are dusted with spring snow as the clouds skirt across the horizon, trying to decide if they will shower us with rain or simply honor us with their presence. There aren't too many places that can compete with North Bend for the sheer beauty of our

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surroundings. It is a pleasure to come to work each day when you have views like this in every direction. The close-knit community feeling we have in this City is icing on the cake.



It is the time of year when we provide you with this Annual Police Service Report. Much of the report is statistical data and charts, presented in such a manner as to clearly diagram the effectiveness of the police services that we provide. Despite the increase in city size and population as a result of the annexations in the area, I am very pleased to see that our crime trends are dropping in almost all areas.

Last year I listed a few goals that we focused on for 2010. The first goal was the creation of a prescription drug disposal program for the area. The program is up and running, with more than 130 pounds of prescription drugs safely disposed of so far. The program will continue, so just bring your

unwanted or unused prescription drugs to the police station during business hours for disposal.

Another goal we had last year will continue as long as I am here – that is establishing and maintaining business contacts in the city. I enjoy meeting and talking with the community, learning about the area, the businesses, and the direction that people would like to see us go.

In an effort to improve traffic safety we have been awarded several State grants, including nearly \$10,000 worth of equipment and staffing time to focus on speeding, DUI, and traffic enforcement.

In 2011, we will continue to work with you to maintain a community that is safe and pleasant, and a source of pride for us all. I encourage all community members to contact me with any questions, concerns, or ideas that could assist us all to reach these goals.

Thank you, Mark Toner, Chief of Police 425.888.4438 Mark.Toner@KingCounty.Gov





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# **About the Annual Police Service Highlights & Data Report**

The Annual Police Service Highlights & Data Report contains information on the service efforts and accomplishments of the North Bend Police Department to support its mission, goals, and objectives. The goal of the report is to keep the City of North Bend residents, staff, administrators, and elected officials informed of police service and crime activity in the city. The report is produced by the City of North Bend Police Department in partnership with the King County Sheriff's Office (KCSO) Research, Planning and Informational Services and Contracts Units. Questions about the report can be directed to the North Bend chief of police.

The Police Service Highlights section gives a narrative of police efforts and year-to-year comparisons of selected crime and police service data. Most of the data in this section is taken from the Police Services Data section unless otherwise indicated as being from a difference source.

The Police Service Data section provides further detailed crime and police service data. Please note that numbers in this section may differ slightly from numbers in the Police Services Highlights due to rounding differences.

# North Bend Police Department Mission, Core Value, Goals & Objectives

#### Mission

The mission of the North Bend Police Department is to prevent crime and create an environment where people feel safe, while providing quality, professional law enforcement services designed to improve public safety.

# Core Value

The North Bend Police are committed to the core value of Service. We firmly believe in our core value and let it guide all work that we do in the community.

# Goals & Objectives

In order to realize this mission, the City of North Bend Police Department has adopted the following goals and objectives:

# Goal # 1: Reduce crime and the fear of crime

Objective: Use information for crime analysis

Objective: Apprehend offenders

Objective: Prevent crime

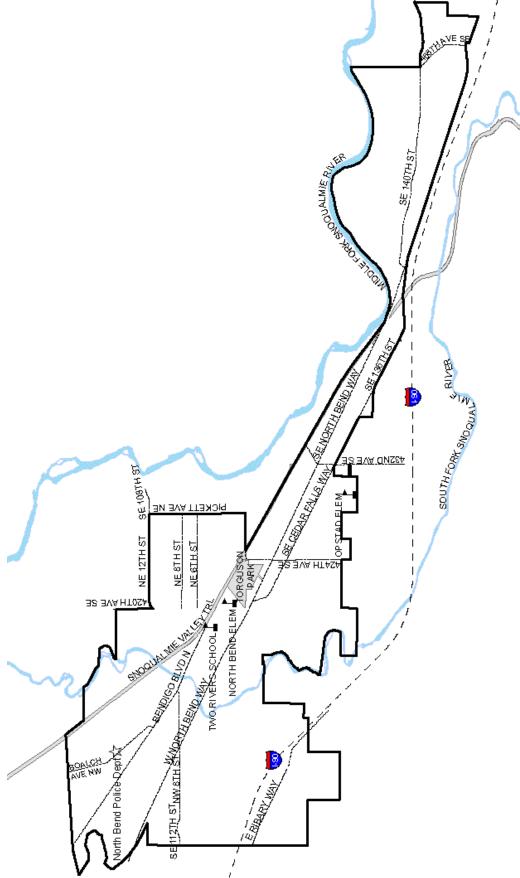
Objective: Improve residents' feeling of security

# Goal # 2: Provide high-quality, cost-effective, and accountable services to the City of North Bend

Objective: Provide responsive services to residents. Objective: Provide cost-effective services to residents.



# **City of North Bend Patrol Area**





# City of North Bend **Police Service Highlights**2010



# **City Cost Comparison**

The city cost comparison study is conducted annually by the King County Sheriff's Office Contracts Unit. The study accounts for city budget differences and may factor in (or factor out) certain line items in an effort to allow for "apples-to-apples" comparison between cities. North Bend's cost per capita shown here is different than the contract cost per capita, which only includes North Bend's law enforcement contract paid to the county. The following budget information is obtained directly from the city's budget, which may include funding for extra police services.

City	2009 Crime Rate	2010 Police Budget	2010 Census Population	2010 Budgeted Sworn	Cost/ Capita	Cost/ Sworn	Sworn/ 1000
Auburn	53.50	\$21,165,207	70,180	100.00	\$302	\$211,652	1.42
Bellevue	34.20	\$33,937,328	122,363	180.00	\$277	\$188,541	1.47
Black Diamond	15.80	\$1,484,463	4,151	11.00	\$358	\$134,951	2.65
Bothell	27.80	\$10,970,610	33,505	58.00	\$327	\$189,148	1.73
Burien	53.80	\$7,520,416	48,072	49.02	\$156	\$153,415	1.02
Covington	38.70	\$2,844,412	17,575	15.72	\$162	\$180,942	0.89
Des Moines	35.40	\$8,177,936	29,673	37.00	\$276	\$221,025	1.25
Edmonds	24.80	\$8,654,186	39,709	56.00	\$218	\$154,539	1.41
Federal Way	55.50	\$24,053,497	89,306	135.00	\$269	\$178,174	1.51
Issaquah	24.30	\$5,867,316	30,434	33.00	\$193	\$177,797	1.08
Kenmore	21.10	\$3,029,094	20,460	15.94	\$148	\$190,031	0.78
Kent	49.10	\$27,026,798	118,565	132.00	\$228	\$204,748	1.11
Kirkland	34.90	\$15,871,910	48,787	90.00	\$325	\$176,355	1.84
Lake Forest Park	19.30	\$2,986,445	12,598	19.00	\$237	\$157,181	1.51
Lynnwood	66.60	\$13,673,851	35,836	80.00	\$382	\$170,923	2.23
Maple Valley	22.40	\$2,653,533	22,684	13.73	\$117	\$193,265	0.61
Mercer Island	18.90	\$5,894,348	22,699	32.00	\$260	\$184,198	1.41
Mukilteo	28.80	\$3,998,330	20,254	28.00	\$197	\$142,798	1.38
Newcastle	22.90	\$1,452,050	10,380	8.44	\$140	\$172,044	0.81
Normandy Park	21.70	\$1,873,328	6,335	13.00	\$296	\$144,102	2.05
North Bend	51.90	\$1,432,461	5,731	7.40	\$250	\$193,576	1.29
Puyallup	81.80	\$18,131,063	37,022	57.00	\$490	\$318,089	1.54
Redmond	33.00	\$14,392,471	54,144	85.00	\$266	\$169,323	1.57
Renton	55.50	\$23,265,630	90,927	123.00	\$256	\$189,151	1.35
Sammamish	9.00	\$4,538,012	45,780	25.94	\$99	\$174,943	0.57
SeaTac	62.30	\$8,984,070	26,909	45.67	\$334	\$196,717	1.70
Seattle	65.00	\$265,317,691	608,660	1,349.00	\$436	\$196,677	2.22
Shoreline	31.60	\$9,880,011	53,007	53.77	\$186	\$183,746	1.01
Snoqualmie	17.30	\$2,768,876	10,670	14.00	\$260	\$197,777	1.31
Tukwila	189.50	\$12,838,220	19,107	71.00	\$672	\$180,820	3.72
Woodinville	42.90	\$2,456,418	10,938	13.06	\$225	\$188,087	1.19
	Contract City Averages (weighted)			\$171	\$180,106	0.95	
	Non-Contract City Averages (weighted)				\$347	\$193,248	1.80

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# Data sources:

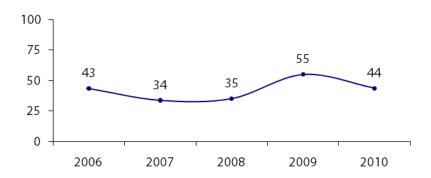
- 1. City budgets are found on city websites or via city finance personnel.
- 2. Population is from the 2010 Census.
- 3. Crime rates are from the Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs (WASPC).

  Crime rates for 2010 were not yet released at this report's publish date.

# **North Bend's Crime Rate**

The Crime Rate is a calculation of the number of Part I Crimes divided by population in thousands. Part I Crimes is a category of crimes established by the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). It includes criminal homicide (which includes murder and non-negligent manslaughter, but excludes deaths by negligence, attempts to kill, suicides, accidental deaths, justifiable homicide, and traffic fatalities), forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny-theft, motor vehicle theft, and arson.

# Part I Crimes Per 1,000 Residents

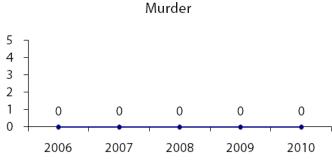


Source: Police Services Data



# **Part I Violent Crimes against People**

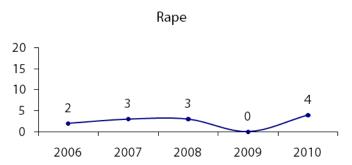
Part I Crimes include crimes categorized as "violent crimes" or "crimes against people." The following are North Bend's Part I Violent Crimes.



#### Source for all below: Police Services Data

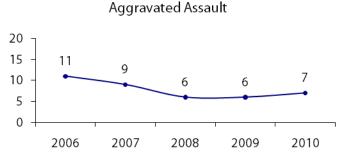
## Murder

The following situations are not included in this crime classification: deaths caused by negligence, suicide, or accident; justifiable homicides; and attempts to murder or assaults to murder, which are counted as aggravated assaults.



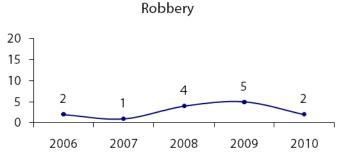
# Rape

Rapes by force and attempts or assaults to rape, regardless of the age of the victim, are included in this count. Statutory offenses (no force used—victim under age of consent) are excluded.



# **Aggravated Assault**

Aggravated assault is an unlawful attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting severe or aggravated bodily injury. This type of assault usually is accompanied by the use of a weapon or by means likely to produce death or great bodily harm.



#### Robbery

Robbery is the taking or attempting to take anything of value from the care, custody, or control of a person by force, threat of force, violence, or by putting the victim in fear.

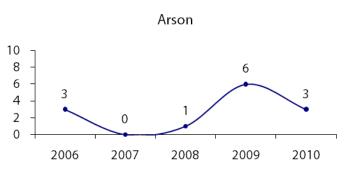


# **Part I Non-Violent Crimes against Property**

The second group of Part I Crimes is known as "non-violent crimes," "crimes against property," or "property crimes." The following are North Bend's Part I Crimes against Property. Information about vehicle theft, also included in this category, can be found with traffic and automobile incident information.

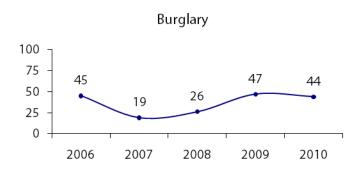
## **Arson**

Arson is any willful or malicious burning or attempt to burn, with or without intent to defraud, a dwelling house, public building, motor vehicle or aircraft, or personal property of another.



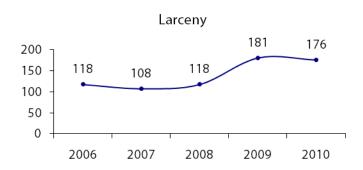
Source for all below: Police Services Data

Burglary (breaking or entering)
Burglary is the unlawful entry of a
commercial or residential structure with
the intent to commit a crime. Attempted
forcible entry is included.



## Larceny (except vehicles)

Larceny is the unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property of any value amount from the possession or constructive possession of another. Examples are thefts of bicycles, motor vehicle parts and accessories, shoplifting, pocket-picking, or the stealing of any property or article that is not taken by force and violence or by fraud. Attempted larcenies are included. Embezzlement, forgery, check fraud, and like crimes are excluded.





# **Traffic and Automobile Incident Information**

# Vehicle theft

Vehicle theft is included in Part I Crimes against Property. It is the theft or attempted theft of a motor vehicle, which is defined as being self-propelled and running on a land surface and not on rails. Motorboats, construction equipment, airplanes, and farming equipment are specifically excluded from this category.

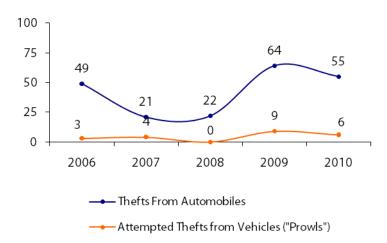
#### Vehicle Theft 50 40 23 30 19 17 15 20 8 10 0 2006 2009 2010 2007 2008

Source: Police Services Data

# Thefts from Vehicles and Attempted Thefts ("Prowls")

# Thefts and Attempted Thefts ("Prowls") from Automobiles

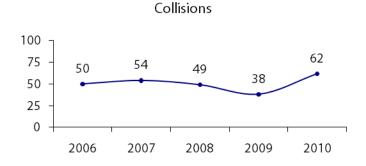
A theft or attempted theft ("prowl") from an automobile is the act or attempted act of taking something from the inside of an automobile.



Source: Police Services Data and CAD System

# **Traffic Collisions**

Collision information includes reports for injury, non-injury, and fatality vehicle collisions. Driving under the influence (DUI) collisions are excluded from this category.



Source: Police Services Data



# Part I & II Cases Closed by Arrest

The cases below represent incidents where an officer or detective has recommended that the King County Prosecutor's Office file criminal charges against the case suspect. These criminal charges may result in an arrest or another form of punitive action, such as a citation. A prosecuting attorney is solely responsible for the decision to formally file charges and prosecute defendants.

Part I & II Case Closed by Arrest

500
400
300
200
195
165
127
100
0

2008

2009

2010

Source: KCSO RPIS Unit

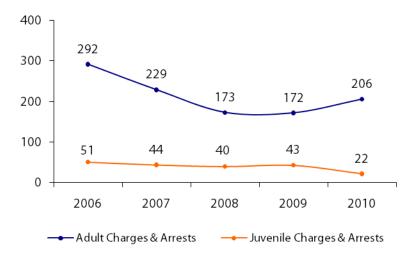
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# **Adult and Juvenile Charges and Arrests**

One or more charges can result from a single arrest. Charges also can be filed when probable cause exists against a person who may not have been arrested. The following are the total number of felony and misdemeanor charges and arrests by adult and juvenile status.

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# Adult, Juvenile Charges & Arrests



Source: Police Services Data

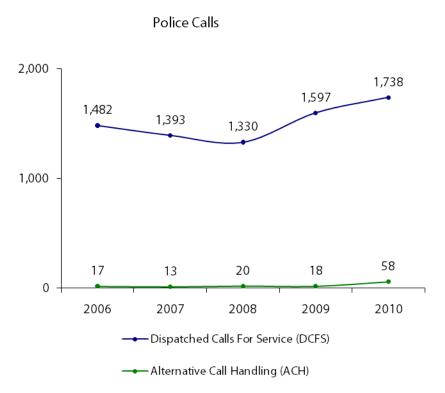


#### **Calls for Police Assistance**

The public receives police assistance in a variety of ways. People can call the Emergency 911 Communications Center to have one or more officers dispatched to the field, called a "dispatched call for service." The public can also be assisted when an officer witnesses or "on-views" an accident, crime, or other police need in the field.

In addition to dispatched calls for service and on-views, 911 center operators can take certain types of reports over the phone through alternative call handling (ACH). This allows police officers more time to respond to those who need an officer present at the location of their incident.

Following are the numbers of dispatched calls for service (DCFS), on-views, and alternative call handling (ACH) incidents reported.



Source: Police Services Data and CAD

Dispatched Calls For Service (DCFS): The number of DCFS shown here includes calls that are verified to take place inside the city limits and that are charged to the city as part of its police contract. Total DCFS counts, as shown in the Police Service Data section, may be slightly higher (usually less than 5 percent higher).

# **Response Times to High Priority Calls**

When calls for police assistance are received by the Emergency 911 Communications Center, they are entered into the Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) system and given a "priority" based on the criteria described below. If the call receiver is in doubt as to the appropriate priority, the call is assigned the higher of the two priority designators in question.

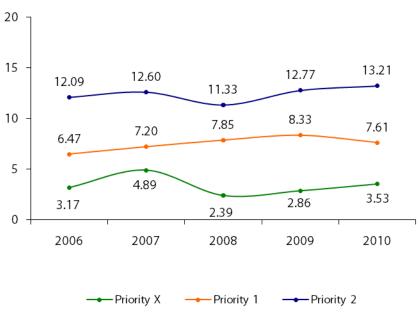
"Priority X" designates critical dispatches. These are incidents that pose an obvious danger to the life of an officer or citizen. It is used for felony crimes in-progress where the possibility of confrontation between a victim and suspect exists. Examples include shootings, stabbings, robberies or burglaries.

"Priority 1" designates immediate dispatches. These are calls that require immediate police action. Examples include silent alarms, injury traffic accidents, in-progress crimes or crimes so recent that the suspect may still be in the immediate area.

"Priority 2" designates prompt dispatches. These are calls that could escalate to a more serious degree if not policed quickly. Examples include verbal disturbances and blocking traffic accidents.

Following are the City of North Bend's Police response times for the above priority calls. Response times include all time from the receipt of a phone call to the moment an officer arrives at the location of the incident.

# Average Response Times to High Priority Calls (in minutes)



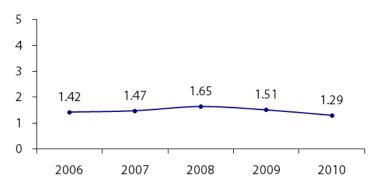
Source: Police Services Data



# **Commissioned Officers per 1,000 Residents**

Commissioned officers per 1,000 residents shows how many commissioned police officers are employed by North Bend for every 1,000 residents. This number includes commissioned officers who work in supervisory or other non-patrol related positions as well as special services officers who work part-time for the city. It does not include professional (i.e. non-commissioned) support staff.

# Commissioned Officers per 1,000 Residents

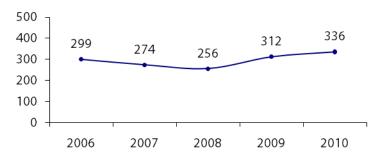


Source: KCSO Contracts Unit

# Dispatched Calls for Service (DCFS) per Patrol Officer

Dispatched calls for service (DCFS) per patrol officer is the average number of dispatched calls one patrol officer responds to within a year. This number uses only dispatched calls North Bend pays for and does not include the number of responses an officer initiates (such as witnessing` and responding to traffic violations, called "on views"). Also, the numbers below are *patrol only* and exclude non-patrol commissioned officers (such as supervisors or special duty officers/detectives).

# Dispatched Calls for Service per Patrol Officer



Source: KCSO Contracts Unit



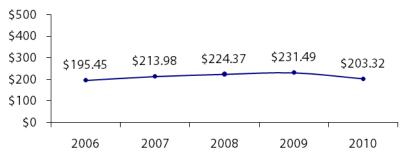
# **Costs of Police Services per Capita**

The City of North Bend contracts with the King County Sheriff's Office (KCSO) for police services. Among other benefits, contracting for services from a larger law enforcement agency allows for cost savings through "economies of scale." Specific economies of scale provided through the contract with KCSO include:

- Mutual aid agreements with other law enforcement agencies in Washington State
- > A large pool of officers if back-up help is necessary
- Coverage if city officers are away
- Expertise of specialized units to assist officers
- More experienced officers to select from for city staffing
- Cost sharing throughout the department to keep city costs down

Costs for police services vary depending on a city's resources and the level and type of police services the community wants. The City of North Bend may have additional funds or expenditures for special projects or programs as part of the city's law enforcement budget. These additional costs are not reflected in the contract cost per capita, which shows the contract cost for police services divided by North Bend's population.

# Contract Cost per Capita

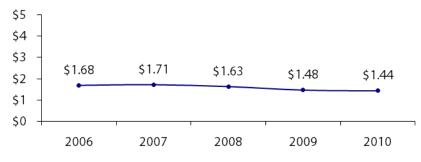


Source: KCSO Contracts Unit

# Cost per \$1,000 of Assessed Real Property Value

Cost per \$1,000 of assessed real property value shows North Bend's contract cost in relationship to the property values of North Bend.

Cost per \$1,000 of Assessed Real Property Value



Source: King County Assessor's Office

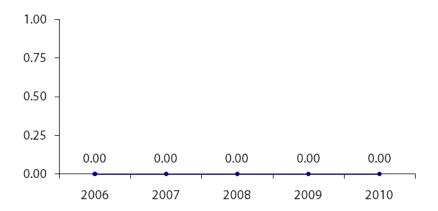


# **Complaints against Officers**

Complaints against city police officers can originate from the public or internal police department personnel. When a complaint is made, the King County Sheriff's Office Internal Investigations Unit (IIU), which reports directly to the Sheriff, will review the complaint and determine whether a formal complaint investigation should be made. The following are the total number of internal and external complaints that were formally investigated for City of North Bend officers:

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Number of Complaints	0	0	0	0	0
Number of Dispatched Calls	1,482	1,393	1,330	1,597	1,738

# Complaints per 1,000 Dispatched Calls for Service



Source: KCSO Internal Investigations Unit



# City of North Bend Police Service Data 2010



# **CRIME SUMMARY**

	2009	2010	Percent Change	Crime Rate	Total 2010 Cases Closed
Part I Offenses					
Criminal Homicide	0	0	N/A	0.00	0
Rape (incl. Attempts)	1	4	300.0%	0.70	0
Robbery	5	2	-60.0%	0.35	0
Aggravated Assault	6	7	16.7%	1.22	10
Burglary, Commercial	25	20	-20.0%	3.49	2
Burglary, Residential	22	24	9.1%	4.19	2
Larceny, over \$250	71	69	-2.8%	12.04	12
Larceny, under \$250	110	107	-2.7%	18.67	24
Vehicle Theft	17	15	-11.8%	2.62	0
Arson	6	3	-50.0%	0.52	0
Total Part I Offenses	263	251	-4.6%	43.80	<b>50</b>
Total Part II Offenses	240	286	19.2%	49.90	43

# NOTE:

The crime rate is calculated on the basis of 1,000 people (i.e., number of crimes per 1,000 people). The population is 5,731.

# **ACTIVITY SUMMARY**

			Percent
	2009	2010	Change
Dispatched calls for service	1,638	1,804	10.1%
Adult charges/arrests	172	206	19.8%
Juvenile charges/arrests	43	22	-48.8%
Officers assaulted	0	0	N/A
Total gang-related incidents	4	4	0.0%
Total domestic violence related			
incidents	62	61	-1.6%
Hate crimes/malicious harassment			
reports	0	0	N/A



Part One Offenses	
Criminal Homicide	0
Rape	4
Child Rape	0
Attempted Rape	0
Robbery, Highway	1
Robbery, Commercial	0
Robbery, Gas Station	0
Robbery, Chain Store	0
Robbery, Residence	0
Robbery, Bank	0
Robbery, Misc.	1
Robbery, Carjack	0
Assault, Firearm	1
Assault, Knife	2
Assault, ODW	2 2 2 14
Assault, Hands	2
Commercial Burglary, FE	14
Commercial Burglary, NF	3
Commercial Burglary, ATT	3
Residential Burglary, FE	10
Residential Burglary, NF	13
Residential Burglary, ATT	1
Larceny, +\$250	69
Larceny, -\$250	107
Auto Theft	15
Truck-Bus Theft	0
Other Vehicle Theft	0
Theft Boat/RV	0
Arson Confirmed	3
Total	251

Part Two Offenses	
Assault Fourth	<b>27</b>
Total Forgery/Fraud	<b>27</b>
Stolen Property	0
Vandalism	49
Weapons Violations	3
Commercial Vice	0
Total Sexual Offenses	8
Gambling	0
Total Family/Juvenile	38
DWI	14
Liquor Violations	11
Disorderly Conduct	0
Kidnapping	0
Trespass	15
Opium, coke, etc.	2
Marijuana	7 2
Synthetic Narcotics	2
Other Narcotics	0
Hate Crimes	0
Viol. of Court Orders (Misd)	12
Viol. of Court Orders (Felony)	0
All other	71
Total	286

# NOTE:

The number of DCFS (Dispatched Calls for Service) shown here includes all calls recorded by the Emergency 911 Communications Center as being city calls. However, this number may be slightly higher than the number of DCFS shown in the Police Service Highlights section, which reports only those calls that are verified to take place inside the city limits and are charged to the city as part of its police contract. Actual DCFS counts shown here are usually less than 5 percent higher.

Larceny Offenses	
Auto Parts & Accessories	7
Bicycles	14
Coin Operated Machine Device	1
Gas	9
Non-specific Category	23
Pickpocket	0
Purse Snatch	0
Shoplifting	44
Taken from Auto	55
Taken from Building	23
Total	176

Dispatched Calls for Service	
2010	1,804

Response Times	
	Avg Time
Priority	in Mins.
X	3.53
1	7.61
2	13.21
3	27.49

# POLICE SERVICE HIGHLIGHTS & DATA REPORT: 2010

# ADULT AND JUVENILE CHARGES, ARRESTS, AND CITATIONS

	Adult Felony	Adult Misdemeanor	Juvenile Felony	Juvenile Misdemeanor	Total Adults and Juveniles
Criminal Homicide	0	0	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0
Rape	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	5	1	0	0	6
Burglary	2	0	0	0	2
Larceny	2	11	0	8	21
Vehicle Theft	1	0	0	0	1
Assault, Fourth	0	17	0	1	18
Arson	0	0	0	0	0
Counterfeiting/Forgery	2	1	0	1	4
Fraud	2	0	0	0	2
Embezzlement	1	1	0	0	2
Stolen Property	3	1	0	0	4
Vandalism	0	9	0	0	9
Weapons Violations	0	2	0	0	2
Prostitution - Vice	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offense (No Rape)	0	0	0	0	0
Narcotics/Drug Violation	2	2	0	0	4
Marijuana	1	9	0	4	14
Gambling, Other	0	0	0	0	0
DWI	0	13	0	0	13
Liquor Violation	0	25	0	6	31
Disorderly Conduct	0	0	0	0	0
Other (except Traffic)	0	23	0	1	24
Traffic	0	70	0	1	71
TOTAL	21	185	0	22	228

#### NOTE:

Charges include all adults and juveniles booked, cited and charged in absentia. Charges do not include persons that are booked on warrants each quarter.

